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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

CARLOS CASTILLO-PAREDES,

Petitioner,

v.

MICHAEL B. MUKASEY, Attorney  
General,

Respondent.

No. 04-76647

Agency No. A78-535-823

MEMORANDUM\*

On Petition for Review of an Order of the  
Board of Immigration Appeals

Argued and Submitted February 6, 2008  
Pasadena, California

Before: KOZINSKI, Chief Judge, O'SCANNLAIN, and W. FLETCHER, Circuit  
Judges.

The record does not compel the conclusion that Castillo-Paredes was  
credible. His testimony about what he told the Justice of the Peace regarding a  
shooting incident was internally inconsistent and inconsistent with his supporting  
documentation. *See Chebchoub v. INS*, 257 F.3d 1038, 1043 (9th Cir. 2001). In

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\* This disposition is not appropriate for publication and is not precedent  
except as provided by 9th Cir. R. 36-3.

the absence of credible testimony, Castillo-Paredes failed to demonstrate eligibility for asylum, withholding of removal, or CAT relief. *See Farah v. Ashcroft*, 348 F.3d 1153, 1156-57 (9th Cir. 2003).

**PETITION FOR REVIEW DENIED.**